

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

On page 8, please replace the paragraph beginning on line 8 and ending on line 9 with the following amended paragraph:

Figure 7 shows the nucleic acid and amino acid sequences of Age-1 (SEQ ID NOS:5 and 6) and Daf-16 (SEQ ID NOS:3 and 4) (~~SEQ ID NOS: 3, 4 (Age-1) 5, and 6 (Daf-16)~~ respectively).

Please insert the attached Sequence Listing into the specification after the abstract.